

House Resolution 1933

By: Representatives Neal of the 1st, Channell of the 116th, Houston of the 170th, Ralston of the 7th, Jones of the 46th, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Penfield Christian Homes; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Penfield Christian Homes is a nonprofit organization carrying out the mission
3 to reclaim alcohol and drug addicted men through Christ and Christian love; and
- 4 WHEREAS, established in 1979, Penfield Christian Homes has addressed the biological,
5 psychological, sociological, and spiritual dimensions related to the causes of addiction for
6 the past 30 years; and
- 7 WHEREAS, through Christ and Christian love, Penfield Christian Homes helps men break
8 their relationship with addiction utilizing best practices of the addiction profession and
9 biblical counseling; and
- 10 WHEREAS, this outstanding organization serves over 900 men per year with a six-week
11 program that teaches science based recovery methods and relapse prevention from a
12 Christian perspective and provides support and counseling to families; and
- 13 WHEREAS, with campuses in Greene County, Walker County, and Berrien County, Penfield
14 Christian Homes employs professional counselors who are called by God to the addiction
15 ministry; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Penfield Christian Homes was awarded the 2009 Excellence in Addiction
17 Treatment Award from the Georgia School of Addiction Studies; and
- 18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding work of this fine
19 organization and its numerous contributions to the citizens of this state be appropriately
20 recognized.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body commend Penfield Christian Homes for its dedicated and
23 compassionate treatment of men with addiction problems.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Penfield Christian Homes.